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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: PDEV, RH, UK, US

SUBJECT: RHODESIA: SCHEDULING THE BRIEFING OF THE PATRIOTIC
FRONT

1. AGREE THAT IF AT ALL POSSIBLE IT WOULD BE PREFERABLE TO
BRIEF THE PATRIOTIC FTONT BEFORE THE FRONT LINE, AND WE
SHOULD DO ALL WE CAN TO MAKE ARRANGEMENTS ACCORDINGLY. BRITISH ARE
ESPECIALLY ANXIOUS THAT NKOMO GET THE WORD FIRST THEY ARE NOT
PARTICULARLY CONCERNED ABOUT MUGABE, BUT WE BELIEVE IT WOULD BE
MOST INADVISABLE TO BRIEF MKOMO WITHOUT MUGABE (AND DOUBT THAT
NKOMO WOULD WANT IT THIS WAY IN ANY EVENT).

2. ALSO AGREE THAT A MEETING WITH PF AFTER FRONT LINE BUT
ON SAME DAY WILL BE ADEQUATE THOUGH LESS DESIRABLE. AS FOR
SEEING PF MUCH EARLIER (I.E. SEVERAL DAYS) THAN FRONT
LINE, WE SHOULD TRY TO AVOID THIS, INASMUCH AS IT LIKELY
THAT THE PROPOSALS WOULD IN WHOLE OR IN PART LEAK AND
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BECOME PUBLIC KNOWLEDGE BEFORE FRONT LINE BRIEFED.

3. IF YOU HAVE NOT BEEN ABLE TO SEE KAUNDA AND GET A
BETTER FIX ON A DATE FOR THE OWEN-YOUNG MEETING WITH THE
FRONT LINE, ANDY AND I WILL TRY TO DISCUSS THIS WITH HIM
AS SOON AS WE CAN.
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